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Secretary & Commissioner General,

s. M. C.

Reference: Your letter No. K.38/3 dated December 24.1940

Subject: Czechoslovakian Refugees

I forward herewith copy of a Police report on the above mentioned subject.

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Commissioner of Police.

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Special Branch,
December 31, 1940.

Czechoslovakian Refugees - Letter dated December 24, 1940 from Secretary & Commissioner General, S.M.C.

In accordance with instructions received, Captain V.G. TAUSSIG, Acting Military Delegate of the Czechoslovakian Army in China, has been interviewed in respect of the issuing of Immigration Certificates without prior reference to the Jewish Committee.

Matters of registration, the issue of permits, depositing of funds to ensure that immigrants do not become a public burden, etc., etc., were touched upon and Captain TAUSSIG promised his full co-operation in all details. Captain TAUSSIG will work with the "inner committee" of the Czechoslovak Circle which comprises Major STEPAN, Captain TAUSSIG, Messrs. STEMBERA, URBANEK and LILLING. These gentlemen will examine all applications for permits and if approving of them will pass them to this office for final consideration. All applications will be signed and countersigned by

- (1) Major STEPAN and
- (2) Mr. LILLING.

Captain TAUSSIG has no information at present of the impending arrival in Shanghai of Czech refugees but he will seek the assistance of this office as soon as he receives information that the Czech refugees concerned desire to take up residence in Shanghai.

I do not consider that there can be any objections to these arrangements provided that registration of immigrants is effected with S.M.Police upon arrival.

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Shanghai, December 24.

The Commissioner of Folice.

## Czechoslovakian Refugees.

I have had an enquiry from Captain V.G. Taussig regarding the entry of Czechoslovakian refugees into Shanghai. It is the wish that permits be issued without using the agency of the Jewish Committee, in whose stead it is suggested that the local Czechoslovakian Committee might function.

The matter might be dealt with on the lines of the proposals regarding the entry of Polish refugees, referred to in my letter of August 9 to the Polish Charge d'Affaires and your report of September 17 (Reference D5422 (G)).

Perhaps you would be so good as to arrange for your representative to interview Captain Taussig in this matter.

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